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# ASMS News

## 45TH ASMS CONFERENCE ON MASS SPECTROMETRY AND ALLIED TOPICS JUNE 1-5, 1997, PALM SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA

The 45th ASMS Conference will be held at the Palm Springs Convention Center. The convention center is located in a resort setting and is combined with the facilities of the Wyndham Hotel. Other conference accommodations are in nearby hotels, most of which are within easy walking distance of the convention center. Hospitality suites will be in the Wyndham and Hilton hotels. These hotels are within three blocks of each other.

**PROGRAM.** Robert J. Cotter, Vice President for Programs, has created a program format that schedules oral and poster sessions throughout the day. The Palm Springs format divides oral presentations into equal sessions and affords poster authors more opportunity to view other posters.

**WORKSHOPS.** Conference workshops are an important and popular component of the conference program. Your suggestions for workshops are welcome. Please e-mail your ideas to Bob Cotter (rcotter@welchlink.welch.jhu.edu).

Watch the ASMS web page for details as they become available (<http://www.asms.org>).

### DEADLINES

March 30, 1997	Membership dues must be paid in order to register as a member for the conference
April 14, 1997	Advance registration for the conference
April 14, 1997	Hotel reservations

For further information, please contact: ASMS, 1201 Don Diego Avenue, Santa Fe, NM 87505. Telephone: (505) 989-4517; FAX: (505) 989-1073; E-mail: [asms@asms.org](mailto:asms@asms.org).

## ASMS SHORT COURSES MAY 31-JUNE 1, 1997

The following two day short courses will be held Saturday and Sunday, May 31-June 1, 1997, in Palm Springs, CA.

Fundamentals and Applications of MALDI-TOF-MS; Martha M. Vestling and Kevin G. Owens.

Interpretation of Mass Spectra; Lawrence R. Phillips, John H. Callahan, Abdul Mabud, Gordon Nicol, and Terry L. Sumpter.

LC/MS: The Techniques of Electrospray and APCI; Robert D. Vayksner and Arthur Moseley.

Principles and Practice of Quantitative Mass Spectrometry; Alfred L. Yerger, Mark W. Duncan, and P. Jane Gale.

Proteins and Peptides; Daniel B. Kassel, John T. Stults, and Pierre Thibault.

Quadrupole Ion Trap Mass Spectrometry and Tandem Mass Spectrometry; Scott A. McLuckey, Steven A. Lammert, and Gary J. Van Berkel.

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## Future ASMS Conferences

1997	June 1-5	Palm Springs, CA
1998	May 31-June 5	Orlando, FL
1999	June 13-18	Dallas, TX
2000	June 11-15	Long Beach, CA

## ASMS WEB PAGE

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Check the ASMS web page for updates and information on the following:

45th ASMS Conference on Mass Spectrometry  
Employment Postings

## RELATED EVENTS

ASMS is happy to announce meetings of non-profit organizations. Please supply date, name of event, and location, along with the full address, telephone number and fax of contact person. You may also include a brief description, not to exceed one paragraph of 300 characters.

1997 February 2-6	The Australian and New Zealand Society for Mass Spectrometry 16th Conference (ANZSMS 16) will be held at the University of Tasmania, Hobart, TAS, Australia. The conference topics will cover a broad range of areas in mass spectrometry, including advances in instrument development, protein/peptide characterization, drug metabolism studies, fundamentals, elemental analysis, coupling with separation techniques, and environmental applications. The scientific program will consist of invited
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